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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of: )  
HISASHI KAWAI ) : Examiner: D. Wu  
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Appln. No. )  
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The Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Prior to consideration on the merits, please amend  
the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, after the title, please insert the following:

--This application is a divisional of application no.  
08/614,174, filed on March 8, 1996, <sup>now Patent 6,091,377</sup>  
S.W.

Page 1, line 11, change "displaying" to --displays--.

Page 5, line 10, change "90s" to --90a--.